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Outlines of the Story of the Veiled Prophet of Khorassan, and of the Little Glass Slipper.

Arminius Vambery's "Central Asia" which has just appeared in London, is a supplement to his work called "Travels in Central Asia." This volume gives interesting accounts of some new adventures of M. Vambery while exploring the East in the disguise of a Dervish, and also contains a series of chapters on the manners, characteristics and literature of the Central Asiatic races. The pages devoted to the ancient history of Bokhara contain an account of Mokanna, the original of the "Veiled Prophet of Khorassan" in Moore's "Lalla Rookh." Mokhanna occupied himself in early youth with acquiring all kinds of knowledge, including enchantments and secret arts. At length he gave himself out as a prophet, and proclaimed to his adherents that he had existed earlier in the world as Adam, Ibrahim, Moses, Jesus and Mohammed, and called upon them to follow him to paradise. He continually wore a veil to conceal his deformity, as his features were distorted, and he was one-eyed and bald. He obtained many followers, and the greatest part of the villages around Samarcand and Bokhara went over to his party. After a contest of many years between Mokanna and the Mohammedans, the prophet was driven across the Oxus, and retreated into a strong fortress on the mountain of Sam, where he finally perished. M. Vambery says:

"Mokanna, the mysterious prophet, kept himself during this period always in the fortress, attended by 100 of the loveliest women of Transoxania. The interior of the castle was kept only for these with himself and one male page; besides these there was no earthly one permitted to penetrate into his sanctuary. They say that 50,00 of his followers lay at the gate of the fortress, and earnestly implored him to show but once his god-like splendor. He refused, sent his page with the message: 'Say to the servants that Musa (Moses) also wished to see my godhead. But the beams of my splendor he could not support. My glance kills instantly the earthborn.' The enthusiastic adherents assured him that they would gladly offer their lives as a sacrifice if this high enjoyment was allowed to them. When he could not furthermore deny them, Mokanna consented to their entresty, and appointed them to come at a certain time before the gate of the fortress, where he promised to show himself. On the evening of the appointed day he ordered that his women should be placed in a line with looking glasses in their hands, as the beams of the setting sun were reflected in the looking glasses, and when everything was illuminated by that reflection, he ordered them to open the doors. The splendor blinded the eyes of his devoted adherents, who fell prostrate and cried out: "God! enough for us of thy glory; for if we see it more all will be destroyed!" They lay long in the dust supplicating him, until at length he sent his page with the message: "God is pleased with you, and he has given you for your use the good of all the world."

"Fourteen years long Mokanna is reported to have lived in the fortress, consuming his time with woman in drinking and carousing. The Arab Field Marshall, Said Hersi, had at last driven him into the straits. The outer part was taken, and there was only the inaccessible citadel on a higher eminence. With the extinction of his ascendant star, Mokanna was abandoned by his followers, and when he saw the inevitable ruin nigh, he decided, in order not to fall into the hands of his enemies, rather to destroy himself with his women and treasure. He gave to the women at a last carouse a strong dose of poison in wine, and challenged them to empty a goblet with him. All drank but one, who poured the wine into her bosom, and, as an eye witness, told later the whole catastrophe. According to her, Mokanna, after all the women had fallen dead, cut off the head of his faithful page, and, quite naked, burnt himself and his treasures in a furnace, which had been heated for three days. He announced before that he wished to go to heaven to call the angels to his help. 'I have long watched the furnace,' said the fortunate woman who escaped, 'but he never came back in that fashion.' After the death of Mokanna there were many sects and creeds, but they concealed themselves from the ever increasing power of Islam. Under the Samanides the doctrine of Mobrammed spread more and more, and Transoxaman counties became soon famous for their religious zeal."

In the seventh volume "Causes Celebres," published in Paris in 1750, there is a statement which has so much the appearance of being the foundation of the story of "Cinderella and the Glass Slipper," that we are induced to translate the author:

"The fortune of Rhodope, a celebrated courtezan, presents a similar event; this is her history, for which Pliny is our warrant. She was distinguished amongst others of her sex by the smallest and most beautiful foot. Such a perfection has great charms, inasmuch as two nations, the Spanish and Chinese, hold it to be one of the greatest attractions of women. This foot, so small and so beautiful, enjoyed the advantage of pertaining to a beauty at once delicate, regular and surpassingly graceful; her favors would have been beyond price, had she not taken a fancy to barter them. The wealth derived from this source was such that she was enabled to build one of the finest and most sumptuous pyramids of Egypt. On one occasion, when she was bathing in the river, she was much astonished at seeing an eagle stoop from his flight and seize one of her shoes. The eagle bore it off to the distance of several leagues, and dropped it into the lap of Psaminitcus, King of Egypt, who was at the time administering justice in an open place. The King admired a shoe which could have been made for none other than for a charming foot. He at once concluded that the gods had expressly made it for the woman who was to share his throne, and that, without having been tried on her foot, it had been sent to him as a command to seek her out. He caused the most beautiful women of his kingdom to be assembled, satisfied in his own mind that such a shoe could not have been made for an ugly women. Throughout the entire kingdom of Egypt there was scarcely 100 women who, on account of distinguished beauty, deserved to be presented to the King. As a matter of course, Rhodope was amongst the number. We are dazzled at the sight of these real beauties; at first they cause us to lower our eyes, but soon we raise them again to admire, and again and again we go through this manœuvre; such is the constant movement of our looks. Those beautiful women assembled before the King to try on the shoe, it may well be imagined looked at each other with uneasy jealousy. It is needless to say that the toilet of each was arranged with a view to her peculiar attraction. The King, unwilling to trust to any one, determined to try the shoe on the woman's feet himself; he caused them all to be seated, and then got down on his knees. A king kneeling before beauty is one of the most natural positions. Many feet were presented which the shoe would not fit. There could be no spectacle presented so singular and so ravishing as that assemblage of exquisite beauties, each of whom was endowed with a peculiar grace. At last the happy foot was found; it was that of Rhodope. She had hidden with great care the *denouement* of an adventure, which of course she had foreseen; she wanted a flashing triumph over her rivals. The King saw at a glance that this amiable person had many other and greater perfections. The first step which this foot made led it to the throne; and the King thought none the less of the treasure which he possessed, because many others had possessed it before him.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION!

Destruction of the Locomotive "Brown Bear."

On Sunday morning, at about half past seven o'clock, the people of Kalamazoo were startled by a loud explosion, which made the windows rattle and houses tremble in all parts of the village. It was soon ascertained that the locomotive "Brown Bear," of the M. C. R. R., had exploded while attached to a frieght train which was standing near the depot. It appears that a few moments before the explosion took place the engineer and firemen went to breakfast, leaving the engine alone, and thus they escaped being killed, as they surely would have been had they remained on the engine a few moments longer. The engine was blown to pieces, and is a perfect wreck. The windows in the buildings in the vicinity of the depot were broken, and in many instances the sash was blown entirely out of the casing. A large portion of the boiler weighing from 1,500 to 2,000 pounds, was carried a distance of fifty rods and landed on a shed on the grounds of John O'Niel, demolishing the shed and killing a young calf. Another piece of iron was thrown up Burdick street, as far as the City Hotel—and a third piece was thrown through the roof of the malt house of Mr. George Judge, which is nearly 80 rods distant from the depot. All of the telegraph wires leading west were cut, and the windows of the telegraph office were blown in. Great astonishment was expressed by all who visited the scene of the accident that no one was injured.

As yet the cause of the explosion is unknown, but it is believed to have resulted from a defect in the boiler. The engineer states that when he left the engine there were two full gages of water, and only about 70 or 80 pounds of steam on.—*Kalamazoo Telegraph.*

FEMALE SUFFRAGE AT LAST.

One Hundred and Twenty Ladies Vote at Sturgis.

A few weeks since, a large meeting of the citizens of Sturgis, the ladies were appealed to, to aid by their influence in the coming election the cause of Prohibition. They replied that they would if they were allowed to vote. A committee of 12 was appointed, Mrs. Wm. Kyte at the head as chairman, to carry out this object. The committee then canvassed the village, and invited all the ladies to come out on that day and join in the demonstration, and show to the world that they were not afraid, nor ashamed to go and ask for their rights which has so long been withheld from them. At two o'clock, on Monday, election day, they assembled at Union School Hall and marched to the room where the election was held, and 114 deposited their votes in favor of Prohibition, and *six against it.* Whilst they were marching through the room where the election was held, the utmost order prevailed, and when they were retiring, three hearty cheers were given for the Ladies of Sturgis. The utmost good feeling prevailed, and not a sneer or a jeer was heard.—*Sturgis Journal.*

SECRET POLITICAL WAR ASSOCIATIONS.

The following from Brick Pomeroy would seem to indicate that secret associations after the order of the "Kuklax Klan," now so dreaded at the South by Union men, are being got up all over the North. We warn our readers against being caught in its meshes. It is no doubt an organization dangerous to American liberty:

"On Thursday, April 23, 1868, we shall be prepared to furnish all parties to *organize* for the protection of *life and liberty, white supremacy, State equality and equal taxation,* the several blanks and instructions necessary to the formation of LEGIONS for the more rapid and effectual advancement of the GRAND NATIONAL and MILITARY MOVEMENT now on foot throughout the United States. Address

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The Boy that was Wanted.

Dr. Bartram wanted an errand boy. George Wayland heard of it. "I will offer myself," said George, glad of a chance to do something to help his poor mother. He was a small, chubby little fellow; but he was strong and willing-hearted.

When he went to see the doctor,

"I am afraid you are not big enough," said the doctor.

"Only try me," said George. "I am older than you take me for; I am eleven." The doctor was surprised.

"And I can read," said George, "and write small hand as well as big; and I can do sums. Do try me; *please do.*"

"Are you a good walker?" said the doctor.

"Oh, yes, sir."

"You may be a first rate walker," said the doctor, "and be able to read and write and do sums, and you may be very strong, and yet may not be the boy I want."

It was George's turn to look surprised.

"I want an honest, truth-telling, industrious boy; one who would feel that, if he idled away his time when he ought to be doing his work, he was robbing me; one who would ask God to help him be faithful when I am away just as he would do if I were present. Would you try to be such a boy to me as that, George?"

"Yes, sir," said George, as if his whole heart was in the answer, "yes, sir."

That is the kind of boy every man who hires a boy wants, as well as Dr. Bartram; and no boy or girl that answers to it will ever have to remain idle or complain that they have nothing to do.

Dr. Bartram took George in his employment.

Drop that Paper.

Yes, drop it. Too niggardly and mean to subscribe and pay for your county paper, which is steadily laboring for the promotion of the welfare of society—for YOUR welfare—you have been sponging on your neighbors ever since it was established. You are always eager to read it, and frequently, before it reaches the hands of its honorable owner, it is crumpled and torn by your filching fingers. Drop it! Never pick it up and read it again, unless you can do so with the proud consciousness that you have the right—a right secured in a legitimate way. If you are too poor to aid in sustaining it, let us know, and we will send you the paper gratuitously. But it is downright meanness in you, when you are as able as your neighbor, to send your children through the snow, and sleet, and rain to borrow it. Be a man and help us in our second volume.—*Afton Reveille.*

—"Herbert, my darling," said a fond mother to her son, "I've not seen your book for several days or more—where is it?" "I know where it is." "Well, where?" "Why, it's only lost a little—kinder in the barn, or round out doors somarers, I guess p'raps up garret, or behind the wood-pile—I guess."

A BEAUTIFUL INCIDENT.

I have now in my mind a beautiful illustration of the strength of Masonic love, which came under my observation during my sailor career.

In 1865, while attached to one of the New York clipper Indiamen, and lying in the the sickly seaport of Batavia, in the island of Java, I was stricken down with one of the terrible malarial fevers of that torrid clime.

One afternoon, while lying at my hotel, sick nearly unto death, and longing for a friendly voice or glance, my door was suddenly opened, and I saw Framjee Hormusjee Setna, one of the wealthiest Parsee merchants of Batavia, *approach me under the due guard and sign of a Master Mason.* He sat down by my side, kindly took my fevered hand in his, and assured me that I was not a stranger in the land, but a brother and a friend. His Arab servant followed him, bearing on his head a tray filled with the rarest fruits and delicacies of that prolific clime, and he was left with me to attend to my wants, his master giving him strict injunctions to be faithful to his charge.

Under such care and influence, I soon was convalescent, and on my recovery I wrote the following lines:

Sick and weary I was lying,
Years ago, on Java's shore,
Strangers round me thought me dying,
For disease had racked me sore.

Thus I lay, one radiant morning,
When my door was opened wide,
And a face, with smiles adorning,
Soon was present at my side.

As I gazed, I saw his gesture,
Giving our beloved sign;
Richly clad in Orient vesture—
His bright presence seemed divine.

I responded to the token,
As he warmly pressed my hand;
And these words by him were spoken:
"Thou'rt no stranger in this land;

"By this 'mystic tie,' my brother,
We're united hand and heart;
Nor would I the impulse smother
Thus to act a brother's part.

"Aden, this, my Arab servant,
Shall attend you night and day;
You will find him zealous, fervent,
Watchful, skillful, kind alway."

Thus he spake—my fever burning
Soon gave way to friendly care;
Soon my ship was homeward turning,
Borne along by breezes fair.

Years have passed, yet oft I ponder
On that scene on Java's shore,
And my fancies thither wander,
Though between us billows roar.

God be praised! the tie fraternal
Is a Heaven-born, wondrous plan,
And the bond will be eternal—
Love to God is love to man.

—*Western Musical Review.*

A Suggestive Reminiscence.

We make the following extract from the letter of George Alfred Townsend to the Cleveland *Leader*, describing the impeachment scene in the Senate:

To-day, the 4th of March, in the Senate Chamber, on the blue baize desk where he then leaned, the door-keeper of the Senate laid the articles of impeachment. It was the third anniversary of the political rake's progress.

Let me revive to you the scene. Lincoln was there, unconscious of martyrdom. The Senate was thronged. Washington people in sympathy with the rebellion came in inquisitive fear to see the hated abolitionist, Lincoln, resume his oath of office. Mrs. Surratt was then in the gallery. The boy Herold, idling away a day, was also there, gapping upon the spectacle. More than Lincoln these rebels hated Andrew Johnson. They had heard of his summary revenges in Tennessee, and his vow that he would hang traitors high as Haman. They looked upon him as a renegade, bold to do things of violent justice, from which the soft-hearted Lincoln would shrink. With pride the Unionists surveyed their champion, saying: "Now, if Andrew Johnson had control, we should see the Government strong and retaliatory."

The pride of the loyal South rose to speak. All the reporters plied their pencils. Suddenly they stopped, struck still with astonishment, incredulous that their ears were faithful.

"My God!" said Crounse, of the *Times*, to a phonographer, "you are not taking that down?"

The reporter, almost in a stupor at what he heard, listened a moment and wrote again.

"It don't connect," he said. "I can't think it makes sense. Does it?"

They all bent over the gallery; a titter went up from the floor; there were suppressed undertones and jeers from the Democrats. The Vice President was seen to be flushed and vacant of countenance. He talked at random, with desultoriness, with forced, spasmodic, involuntary gestures.

"Shame!" said some one aloud; "can't his friends get him to stop?"

A buzz went over the House: "He is crazy!" It increased, grew louder, blended with laughter. It said again, with fuller conviction: "He is not crazy; he is drunk!"

—In Sterling, Illinois, is a temperance society to which none are admitted except those who have been inveterate tipplers. The rank of the members is determined by the depth to which each had fallen, the president having been chosen as having been the most abandoned drunkard of the society. The penalty of breaking the pledge is as many dips in the river as there are members in the club.

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KU-KLUX KLAN.

This secret order springing up through the South, in order to intimidate and murder loyal men, is of a very dangerous character. Several prominent union men have already been murdered. Gen. Meade has issued an order for its suppression in his department.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* gives the derivation for "ku-klux klan," the most probable yet: "The sound is liquid and gurgling, and must have originated in that produced by a thirsty toper experimenting with a half emptied bottle of whiskey, held inverted over his mouth, while his head is thrown back in accordant attitude. Then the liquor, flowing to its fate, 'whistles itself' and its whistle spells ku-klux klan."

ASSASSINATION OF D'ARCY McGEE.

The assassination of this eminent Canadian citizen is a most startling circumstance. The Fenians are charged with being instrumental in his death, and the furor against this order in Canada is terrible. He was shot as he was about to enter his dwelling in Montreal. It was estimated that 80,000 persons were in the funeral procession. A man by the name of Whalen is supposed to be the murderer.

General Sherman is a great strategist. His last feat in flanking the President's counsel, by his unexpected testimony, is not the least proof of his ability in that line.

It is said that the President is losing flesh. Well, he ought to; he is being tired out.

IMPEACHMENT.

General Butler is maintaining his reputation as a first class lawyer, winning golden opinions. The defence are doing the best they can. The result is uncertain. The trial drags along slowly; we doubt its being terminated before the first of May. The defense sought to use Gen. Sherman, but his testimony injures their cause. The testimony of Gen. Thomas *ad interim*, was laughable and ludicrous in the extreme. He crossed himself time and again.

BURNING OF THE SEA-BIRD.

The Sea Bird was burned off Waukegan. The number on board will probably never be known. All save two perished either in the flames or were drowned. Mr. M. Watkins, whose son was unhappily among the unfortunate, visited the scene and tells us that the origin of the fire was due to the carelessness of the Porter. He threw a kettle full of ashes out of the stern of the boat, the wind was blowing fiercely and blew the ashes and live coals on the boat. The steamer having been recently painted the flames spread with great rapidity. We give the experience of one of the survivors:

THE FIRST ALARM.

When we were off, about as near as I can reckon, eight miles southwest of Waukegan, I was awakened from a sound sleep, by an indistinct rumbling noise. At first I thought the crew were fighting, and so hurried on with my clothes as fast as possible, so that I might be on hand to see the fun. When I opened the stateroom door, I found everything in the direst confusion. The tables had been set for breakfast, and everything was all ready for an early meal. The reckless and horrified passengers were rushing in hot haste to the forward part of the boat. No tongue can possibly describe the horror of the scene at this period. Men, women and children, many of them with the most flimsy protection against the cold morning air, in the way of clothing, rushed towards the forward opening. All sorts of fearful cries saluted my ears, which fairly makes me shudder when I think of them. The screams of the terrified women rushing past *en dishabille*, the cries of the children, the heavy imprecations and shouts of the men, joined with the crackling of the flames, the noise of the engine, and the roar of wind and water, altogether, combined such a scene of confusion that I never had expected to be a witness of in this world. Looking round, I perceived that the after part of the cabin was filled with smoke, and noticed now and again quick, angry forks of flame shooting through it.

Having noted these matters in a few moments' time, I returned to my state room and picked up my two cork life-preservers, with which I started for the forward deck. The flames made such extraordinary headway that it did not seem to me five minutes' time before the whole hurricane deck was afire. The lower decks were, as yet, untouched.

TRYING MOMENTS.

As soon as I could recover my momentary confusion, I looked around for Miss Sprague, but could not find her, after the most diligent search. She went to bed early, and I think that she was burned to death, as I think that very probably right under her stateroom, or in the vicinity of it, the fire originated. She was a very fine, promising young lady, about 19 or 20 years of age.

I made my way through the crowd as far as to the forward part of the bow as possible, knowing that that would be the point which the fire would reach last.

Many had jumped, before this time, into the water, where, from its extreme chilliness, death must soon have terminated their sufferings.

I was now on the deck forward of the pilot-house, on the starboard side, and from the direction in which the wind blew was entirely sheltered from the flames. The mate and I tore away the steps leading to the pilot-house, as we did all things of a combustible nature that were manageable, and which stood between us and the fire.

On this part of the deck were several ladies and children, whose wailing and cries were very piteous to hear.

THE BOAT IS HEADED TO THE SHORE.

As soon as the cry of fire was raised, and it was found to be making such rapid headway, there was a simultaneous cry from many: "Head the boat for the shore; head the boat for the shore." In carrying out this order, the helmsman either through the excitement of the occasion, or because the after machinery of the wheel had already received ir-reparable damage from the fire, put the rudder hard aport, and left it in that way. This kept the vessel turning around; but she had hardly made more than one circuit before the engine stopped working, and by this time the hurricane and upper decks had completely burned off.

ONLY TEN MEN LEFT.

At this time, that is, about one-half hour after I had left my state room, there were no more than ten men remaining on the deck.

By this time I had worked my way to the most forward part of the vessel, and seated myself on the forward post. While sitting here, I pulled down the halyards from the flag staff and doubled them twice, intending to run the quadrupled cord through the staple of the post, and lower myself down when I thought the time had arrived for doing so.

The men below me, who were holding on to the sides of the bow, were dropping off one after another, becoming overcome by either the heat or the cold.

The last act of the second mate was to take down the flag staff and jump overboard with it. The water was so intensely cold that he could have lived but a very few minutes.

A TERRIBLE SCENE.

During all this time there were dead bodies floating around the vessel, and many live persons could be seen battling with the cruel waves, and desperately clinging to the chairs and pieces of the wreck. Generally when a man was about to jump overboard he would shout again, but the cold soon numbed him, and he would sink to rise no more.

At this time we were about eight miles from land. The wind was blowing from the east, and we floated slowly toward the shore.

Shortly after the mate jumped overboard my seat on the forward post became, from the approach of the flames, altogether too hot. I therefore, with the aid of the halyards, lowered myself over the bow of the vessel's timbers with my feet, occupying the identical position that many poor wretches had just before me, and from which, despairing of succor, they had dropped hopelessly into the lake.

As near as I can judge, about three-quarters of an hour after I had reached the forward deck, I was surprised, on looking around, to find but one other than myself upon the wreck. This other individual, who I think was one of the crew, sat on the rim running round the boat just forward of the gangway. The sides of the vessel were burned right up to where he had placed himself, and the heat to him soon became unbearable. At this juncture he cried out to me to throw him a rope, and supplicated my assistance, saying that he could not swim, or he would jump into the water. I told him I could not help him, as my rope was not long enough. Shortly after this he jumped into the water and swam to the bow of the boat, and proved, contrary to his former assertion, that he was a good swimmer. He caught hold of a rope which was swinging in the water just a few feet below where I stood. He held on to this for some three or four minutes, and then, completely benumbed, let go, and I saw him no more. Then I hauled up the rope that my last companion had had hold of, and reeved it through the anchor chains below the ring to which I had the halyards hitched. After fastening it in this manner I coiled it twice around my chest. In a very few minutes after this arrangement had been completed what was my consternation on finding that the upper end of the rope was burning. I reached up my hands and blistered them somewhat in trying to put out the fire. Seeing that this mode of procedure was of no avail, and that the rope was likely to burn out of the ring, which was beyond my reach, I took the other end, which was coiled around my body, and fastened it in the anchor chains below the level of the fire. The two anchors over my head were gradually settling into the wreck, and I began to fear new disaster from this cause. Just at this juncture, I espied a sail between the wreck and the land. Trembling between hope and fear whether she would heave to and lend aid or go by and leave me to my fate, I placed my feet against the side of the vessel and commenced waving my cap vigorously as a signal of distress, and to let her people know that there was a survivor on the wreck. This vessel turned out to be the schooner Cornelia, Capt. Yates, and it would appear that he had discovered me sometime before I had commenced to make signals, by the aid of his spy-glass. When I once knew that my signal was seen I felt quite confident of being saved, as my hold was good for all day. When within about a mile of the wreck the yawl-boat of the schooner was lowered and manned by the first mate and three seamen. They reached me in about fifteen minutes, but owing to my state of suspense, it seemed to me as so many hours. Owing to the roughness of the sea, it was a somewhat difficult matter to approach me. On the third attempt the mate caught the tails of my overcoat, and, holding on firmly, by that means steadied the yawl. Another difficulty now stared me in the face. I had become entangled in the folds of the rope to such a degree that I found myself perfectly unable to loose myself without the aid of a knife. This one of the hands in the boat quickly loaned me. The time consumed in cutting the rope seemed to me an age. At last I managed to saw through it, strand by strand. As the knife parted the last fibres, so greatly was my strength exhausted that I fell like a dead man into the bottom of the yawl.

CHARLES DICKENS.

His Last Reading in Boston—He makes a Brief Speech, and Retires under Three Cheers from the Audience Standing.

BOSTON, APRIL 8.

Mr. Charles Dickens gave his final reading in Boston this evening in Tremont Temple before one of the largest and most cultivated audiences that ever greeted him in this country. His reading table was profusely decorated with rare and beautiful flowers, and as he noticed the graceful compliment on approaching the footlights, Mr. Dickens said: "I kiss the fair hands unknown who have so beautifully adorned my table."

He read "Dr. Marigold" and "Sairey Gamp" with a spirit and life showing that he felt the magnetic charm of the friendly faces around him, and was resolved on this parting occasion to do justice to the fruits of his genius. He was again and again greeted with applause and at the close of his reading he responded to the enthusiastic plaudits with the following words:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—My precious and generous welcome in America, which can never be obliterated from my remembrance, begun here. (Applause.) My departure begins here too; for I assure you that I have never, until this moment, really felt that I am going away. In this brief life of ours it is sad to do almost anything for the last time; and I cannot conceal it from you that although my face will so soon be turned toward my native land and to all that makes it dear, it is a sad consideration with me that in a very few moments from this time this brilliant hall, and all that it contains, will fade from my view for ever more. But it is my consolation that the spirit of the bright faces, the quick perception, the ready replies, the generous allowance, and the cheering sounds that have made this place joyful to me will remain, and you may rely upon it that that spirit will abide with me as long as I have the sense and sentiment of life. (Loud applause.) I do not say this with any reference to the private friendships that have for years and years made Boston a memorable and beloved spot to me; for such private references have no business in this public place. I say it purely in remembrance of, and in homage to the great public heart before me. Ladies and Gentlemen I beg most earnestly, most gratefully and most affectionately to bid you each and all farewell."—(Overwhelming applause.)

As Mr. Dickens was leaving the stage the audience rose *en masse*, and while the gentlemen hurrahed over and over again, their wives and daughters waved their handkerchiefs until he had retired from view.

TERRIBLE RAIL ROAD DISASTER.

The New York and Erie Rail Road, thirteen miles beyond Port Jarvis, is the scene of a frightful disaster. Forty or fifty persons killed. Supposed to be caused by a broken rail. Three cars went down an embankment from seventy-five to a hundred feet.

The Democratic papers of Michigan are still cackling over the defeat of Equal Suffrage. To keep twelve hundred negroes from voting is "glorious," according to the Democratic idea of of glory! Once, when a French bigot witnessed the murder of six hundred old men, women, and children, in the name of religion, he enthusiastically exclaimed, "This is glorious!" It is always glorious in some minds to trample upon the rights of the weak. —*Post.*

When poor Thomas looked appealingly from Butler to Bingham, he only ment to ask protection from bang'em.

We presume the Democrats will account for General Butler's skinning poor Thomas by his proficiency in hiding spoons.

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THE FIRM of Smith Brothers has been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts will be settled by J. F. Smith, who continues the business, and all who have unsettled accounts are expected to call and attend to them at once. Mr. Smith has associated with him Mr. E. C. Converse, an Eastern Druggist, of long experience and great skill, and the business will be continued under the firm name of Smith & Converse.

QUARTERLY REPORT

—OF THE—

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF YPSILANTI,

MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 6, 1868.

RESOURCES.

Bonds with U. S. Treasurer,		75,000 00
U. S. Bonds on hand,		2,200 00
Michigan State Bonds,		3,000 00
Banking House,		9,467 87
Furniture and Safes,		1,000 00
Annual Expenses,	2,243 94	
Taxes Paid,	935 68	3,179 62
Notes and Bills Discounted,		109,287 28
Overdrafts,		728 62
Due from National Banks,	26,623 40	
Cash Items,	2,241 33	28,864 73
Legal Tender Notes,	23,034 00	
National Bank Notes,	2,000 00	
Compound Interest Notes,	8,190 00	
Postal Currency,	834 50	
Specie,	890 50	34,949 00
		$267,512 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in,		75,000 00
Surplus Fund,	4,000	
Undivided Profits,	14,804 89	18,804 89
Due Banks,		243 62
Circulating Notes,	66,250 00	
Less amount on hand,	475 00	65,775 00
Individual Deposits,		107,688 51
		267,512 02

I, F. P. BOGARDUS, Cashier of the First National Bank of Ypsilanti, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. P. BOGARDUS, CASHIER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW. }

Sworn and subscribed to, before me, this 7th day of April, 1868.

C. N. GANSON, NOTARY PUBLIC.

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THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of Woodford & Van Dorn is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due the firm will be paid to Samuel Woodford and the business will be conducted by him at the old stand, second door North of Post Office.

YPSILANTI, March 1st, 1868. 114-3w

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April & May

MORTGAGE SALE. — Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, bearing date the 18th day of August, A. D. 1865, made and executed by George McCoy and Milla McCoy, his wife, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, to Charles B. Goodrich, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds for Washtenaw County, Michigan, on the 29th day of November, 1865, at 10½ o'clock A. M., in liber 34 of mortgages, on page 325 and assigned by said Goodrich to Asa Rice, on the 29th day of April 1867, and assignment recorded in said Register's office for Washtenaw county, May 7th, 1867, at 12 o'clock M., in Liber 1 of assignment of mortgages, on page 374, by which default the power of sale contained in said mortgage became operative, and no suit or proceeding at law or in Chancery having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, and the sum of one hundred and sixty-nine and twenty-nine one hundredths dollars, principal and interest, being now claimed to be due on said mortgage, and an attorneys fee of twenty-five dollars, as stipulated therein.

Notice is therefore hereby give that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described therein, to-wit: That parcel of land described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of a piece of land deeded to James Norris by Joseph Peck and wife, running thence north along the west bounds of River street, city of Ypsilanti, Michigan, four rods; thence west ten rods; thence south four rods; thence east ten rods to the place of beginning, and now occupied by said McCoy, at public auction, at the south door of the Washtenaw county Court House, in the city of Ann Arbor, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county) on Monday, the 29th day of June, A. D. 1868, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

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do do West, do 8:10 A. M.
Saline, Daily Mail, closes at 9 A. M.
Lake Ridge, Tuesdays, Thuesdays and Saturdays, closes 8 A. M.
Belleville, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays; closes 11:45 A. M.
Monroe, *via.* Paint Creek and Oakville Thursdays, closes 9 A. M.
Office hours from 7½ A. M., to 8 P. M., except Sundays.

Job Work

Is done at present on the second floor, while waiting for our Taylor Cylinder Steam Press, which is being manufactured for our express use at Chicago, at the manufactory of A. B. Taylor and Sons. We are doing good work, in good style, on our Hand Press and improved Gordon. We are ordering latest styles of type, the latest improvements in printing, and have first class workmen to make them talk. Our Taylor Press will be here about the first of April.

Steam Press.

We have a letter from Messrs. Taylor & Rounds, saying that "On account of two or three defective castings, the press is detained a week, but she will be a good one when completed. She will be shipped next Monday, the 20th."

Rev. Jason Kellogg.

Recently found guilty of adultery, was tried last week at Dearborn by the Methodist Conference and found guilty. He had already been expelled from the Masonic lodge, of which he was a member. Rev. Mr. Smart, of this city, took an active part in the trial on the part of the prosecution. Judging from the evidence we conclude that Kellogg is crazy, or contemptibly wicked.

First National Bank.

Our readers will see the statement in an other column. The bank makes a favorable showing, and we believe that it is conducted as ably as any bank in the State. The national banking system must ultimately work its way into public favor, and be esteemed the only safe system for the bill holder.

Superior

Elected Warren Babcock Supervisor. He makes a good one. The Board will be composed of excellent timber. All the Republicans are able men and the Democracy have generally elected their best men.

A Fine Chance.

Our readers will doubtless notice the advertisement of Mrs. Grant. She has a very fine house and lot for sale, near the Presbyterian church. The residence and grounds have been made attractive by a liberal outlay of money. To a man of means wishing to make our city his home, this property is well worth his serious attention.

Agent's National Reporter.

Stone Bros., of Kalamazoo, an enterprising firm, propose to issue about the first of May "A National Reporter," a sort of national travelling agent. The paper for "travelling men." It is a new feature in journalism and we have no doubt will prove a popular acquisition to the newspaper literature of the day. By the way the first number of the *Daily Telegraph* of Kalamazoo has come to hand and presents a fine appearance. Success to the Stone Bros.

A Specimen.

A few days since we met Mr. Geo. F. Packard on the cars. He tells us that he makes his home on the Rocky Mountains, now only five days travel from Chicago. He showed us a specimen of silver, $325.76 in value, weight 231 ounces. His mine is in Colorado.

Finney's Hotel.

The *Sentinel* last week represented us taking the train early Monday morning, election day. Be it known unto our cotemporary that we attended meeting in Detroit on Sunday, and further be it known that we had lodgings and a splendid breakfast at Finney's Hotel—our friend, Mr. James Parshall, proprietor—and furthermore be it known, if our cotemporary, his friends or our friends, or friends of both, want good hotel conveniences, we cheerfully recommend him and them to visit Parshall at Finney's Hotel.

Ypsilanti Ladies Library Association

Will hold their first public social in the Arcade building, opposite the Post Office, between the hours of 7 and 10, on Saturday evening, April 18th. Admission ten cents. Addresses and music will be among the numerous entertainments.

Sudden Death of Stephen Watkins.

Stephen Watkins, eldest son of Mr. Watkins, of this city, was an unfortunate victim of the Sea Bird calamity. We were informed by Wednesday morning's *Post* that the announcement was premature, but the father assures us that the heart rending stroke is real. Stephen was an estimable young man, has served the Sea Bird as clerk several years, and was about to take the same position on another and newer boat. Mr. Watkin's, the father, visited the scene of the disaster, in hopes of recovering the body, but only one or two bodies have reached the shore. The family have the sympathy of the entire community in their sorrowful and sudden bereavement.

Thanks.

Rev. C. E. Hewitt and wife wish to return thanks to their friends who visited them Tuesday evening last; and generously left them richer by $225. The visit was a very pleasant one, and the testimonials of friendship will long be treasured up.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

TUESDAY EVE, April 7, 1868.

There being not a quorum present, Council was ordered to stand adjourned till Monday evening, April 13, 1868.

S. C. NOBLE, Clerk.

MONDAY EVE, April 13, 1868.

Met pursuant to adjournment of April 7th.

Mayor in the chair.

Present Alds. Batcheler, Bush, Dimick, Dwight, Heartt, Putney, Stuck, Woodruff—8. Absent, Ald. Noble and Robbins—2.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

PETITIONS PRESENTED.

None.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS

From Auditor approved claims of

Yp's Woolen Mf'g Co, For Lumber,	$ 4 68
A. Coyle, Cleaning Gutters,	43 48
H. J. Leighton, Cutting Ice from Bridge,	3 00
C. Spencer, Registering Plat and Mortgages,	11 00

All ordered paid.

CLAIMS PRESENTED.

W. C. Tenny, For building walk adjacent to I. Peck's premises,	$59 54

On motion of Ald. Bush the Marshall was instructed to collect the the same of Mr. Peck if possible.

Amos Bentley,	$ 5 00
E. S Ormsby,	12 50
C. Millington,	2 00
Chas. Fleming,	2 00
N. W. Batchelder,	14 00
S. H. Dimick,	14 00
Wm. C. Tenny,	25 50
C. M. Woodruff,	2 00
Joseph Wolven,	2 00
A. C. Town,	2 00
I. M. Weed,	2 00
J. W. Van Cleve, Jr.,	2 00
A. Koyl,	4 75
O. H. Lee.	2 00
W. T. Clark,	2 00
Chas. Stuck,	14 00
Edwards, Cooper & Co.,	——
D Edwards,	——

All referred to Auditor.

A. Koyl.	2nd Ward, For street work,	$ 3 63
"	4th " For crossings,	1 00
"	5th " "	9 00
Wm C. Tenny, 3d Ward, work on Lowell street,		2 75
W. C. Tenny, 4th Ward, street work,		1 25

All ordered paid. 8 yeas—no nays.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Ald. Dwight:

Resolved, That Robert C. Hayton be appointed Time Keeper of the City for the ensuing year at the rate of twenty-five dollars per annum. Adopted.

Ald. Stuck moved that the Committee on Streets at large be requested to make a report at next meeting on the claim of Mr. R. Brower, which motion prevailed.

On motion of Ald. Stuck the Council resolved into a Committee of the Whole and took into consideration the bill to amend Ordinance No. 20 which was placed on the General Order at last meeting.

The Committee reported having amended and adopted the bill which now reads as follows, and asks the concurrence of Council therein:

A bill to amend Ordinance No. 22 (20) entitled "An Ordinance for the protection of property of the Citizens of the City of Ypsilanti."

SECTION 1. The Common Council of the City of Ypsilanti ordain that the above entitled Ordinance be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the end of Section one of said Ordinance after the word beginning; also, all that piece or parcel of said city known as Howard's Addition to the City of Ypsilanti, according to the recorded plat of said addition; also all territory lying north of said addition between Adams and Hamilton to Pearl street, and south of said addition between Adams and Hamilton streets to the north line of Michigan street, extended west to said Hamilton street.

Council concurred and committee discharged.

On motion of Ald. Woodruff the bill was adopted.

On motion adjourned.

S. C. NOBLE, Clerk.

APRIL 13th, 1868.

Council met as a board of canvass.

Present: Alds. Batchelder, Bush, Dimick, Dwight, Heartt, Putney, Stuck and Woodruff—8.

Absent: Alds. Noble and Robbins.

Ald. Dwight offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

WHEREAS, It appears from the certified returns of the Inspectors of the several wards of the city of Ypsilanti, that at the annual charter election held in said city on Monday, the 6th day of April, A. D. 1868, and now on file in the city clerk's office, that the following named persons received a majority of all the votes cast for the respective offices herein mentioned, and are hereby declared duly elected to said offices, to-wit:

For the office of Mayor, Parmenio Davis; City Clerk—J. Willard Babbitt; Supervisor first judicial district—Lee Yost; Supervisor second judicial district—John Gilbert; Constable first judicial district—George G. Sherwood; Constable second judicial district—John W. Forsyth; Alderman First Ward—Francis P. Bogardus; Alderman Second Ward—Austin Guild; Alderman Third Ward—Martin Gray; Alderman Fourth Ward—Seneca A. Durand; Alderman Fifth Ward—James M. Forsyth; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk is hereby directed to make duplicate copies of the above list of officers, one of such copies to be filed in the office of the City Clerk, and the other in the office of the clerk of Washtenaw county.

On motion adjourned.

S. C. NOBLE, Clerk.

—The Democratic New Jersey Legislature has repealed the Registry law thus admitting that honest voting does not promote Democratic victories.

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MARRIED.

In Ann Arbor, on the 7th inst., by Rev. G. D. Gillespie, Mr. JOHN HARRIS, Jr., and Miss MARY H. HEWITT, all of Ann Arbor.

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DIED

In the township of Ypsilanti, April 8th, LEMUEL ALLEN, aged 50.

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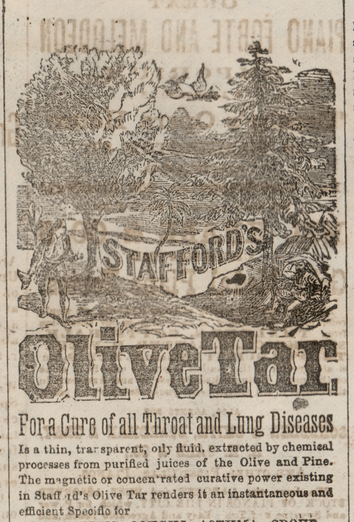

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For sixteen years the HUMOR DOCTOR has been manufactured and sold, and every year has increased the value of its reputation, and the amount of its sales. In New Hampshire, where it originated, no remedy for Humors is so highly prized. An eminent physician (now an army surgeon) when practicing in New Hampshire, purchased between fifty and sixty gallons of it, during some seven or eight years, and used it in his practice. He has since then ordered it for the hospits' where he was stationed. Other physicians have purchased it, and have used it in practice with great success. When the Proprietor lived in New Hampshire, at Goffstown Centre, for the space of thirty or forty miles around, and in Manchester particularly, the HUMOR DOCTOR was well known and highly valued for the numerous and wonderful cures which it effected. Though manufactured in large quantities the supply was frequently exhausted, and purchasers had to wait for more to be made. In that region some very severe cases of Erysipelas were treated with it—and they were cured! Erysipelas sores, or carbuncles, those ugly, painful ulcers, were entirely removed wherever this medicine was faithfully used. So it was with Scrofula and Salt Rheum. The HUMOR DOCTOR cured them.

For the sake of showing what is thought of it, a few testimonials are here inserted:

Milton Cale, Esq., Boston.

I hereby certify that I was sorely afflicted with Boils for two years, developing themselves upon my limbs and other parts of my body. The sufferings which I endured from them are indescribable. Suffice it to say that I faithfully tried several of the most popular humor remedies, but without removing the affliction. At length, by the earnest request of an intimate friend, I was induced to try Dr. J. W. Poland's Humor Doctor, and am very happy to attest that all my Boils were removed, and my health was restored by using Dr. Poland's aforesaid medicine.

BOSTON, Jan. 14, 1856. MILTON CALE.

Mrs. Wheeler, Stoneham, Mass.

I very confidently and earnestly recommend Dr. J. W. Poland's Humor Doctor as an excellent remedy for Humors, having been wonderfully benefited by it myself. My own case was a very severe and obstinate one. For more than two years the skin upon the inside of both my hands, and even down on the wrist, was constantly cracked and broken up, so that I was unable to use my hands in any kind of wet work, and was obliged to wear gloves in serving to avoid getting blood upon my work. The humor which so afflicted me was probably a combination of Erysipelas and Salt Rheum. My general health was quite poor. Soon after I began to use the Humor Doctor I could perceive signs of healing. I continued to take the medicine till I was finally cured. My hands are now perfectly free from humors, and to all appearances my whole system is clear of it, and has been for several months. I used eight bottles before I felt safe to give it up entirely, but they cured me.

HARRIET WHEELER.

STONEHAM, Mass., July 5, 1856.

Mrs. Porter, Dover, N. H.

DOVER, N. H., July 20, 1855.

DR. POLAND: I received your letter inquiring as to the effects of your medicine on sea-sickness. I am happy to say that I think it is "the medicine" for that dreadful sickness. I tried various prescriptions, but found none that settled the stomach and cleared the head like the Humor Doctor. I felt as though I could hardly wait to get ashore, to entrust you to introduce it into ship chandlery stores, that it may find its way to those who suffer upon the mighty deep from seasickness. If capt's and ship families with them, or navy passengers, should try it for once, they would never be willing to voyage without it.

Yours, HARRIET M. PORTER.

Much more might be stated in relation to this medicine, as contained in testimonials, but it is needless. Ask Manchester druggists about it, especially E. W. Blake, at Barr's. Inquire of Mr. Henry Plumer, of Bedford, whose wife was cured by it of Salt Rheum. Ask almost any person in Goffstown, and they will declare its value as a remedy, as used in their own cases or by their friends.

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Yosemite.

"See Yosemite and die! * * Yosemite should be studied for months; I saw it but five days. Volumes ought to be and will be written about it; I can only group a few hints and impressions. Yosemite—signifying grizzly bear—was the name of a tribe of Indians. In 1851 they were hostile. The whites pursuing them into their home and strongh ld discovered this crowning wonder of the world. * * *

On the seventh of August, after four day's hard travel from San Francisco, we galloped out of the pine woods, dismounted, stood upon the rocky precipice of Inspiration Point, and looked down into Yosemite as one from a house-top looks down into his garden, or as he would view the interior of some stupendous roofless cathedral from the top of one of its towering walls. In the distance across the gorge were snow streaked mountains. Right under us was the narrow, winding basin of meadow, grove and shining river, shut in by granite walls from 2,000 to 5,000 feet high—walls with immense turrets of bare rock—walls so upright and perfect that an expert cragsman can climb out of the valley at only three or four points.

I flung a pebble from the rock upon which we stood, and looking over the brink, I saw it fall more than half a mile before striking. Glancing across the narrow, profound chasm, I surveyed an unbroken, seamless wall of granite, two-thirds of a mile high and more than perpendicular—the top projecting 150 feet over the base. Turning toward the upper end of the valley, I beheld a half dome of rock, one mile high, and on its summit a solitary, gigantic cedar, appearing like the merest twig. Originally a vast granite mountain, it was riven from top to bottom by some ancient convulsion, which cleft asunder the everlasting hills and rent the great globe itself.

The measureless, inclosing walls, with these leading towers and many other turrets—gray, brown and white rock, darkly veined from summit to base with streaks and ribbons of falling water—hills, almost upright, yet studded with tenacious firs and cedars; and the deep down level floor of grass, with its thread of river and pigmy trees, all burst upon me at once. Nature had lifted her curtain to reveal the vast and the infinite. It elicited no adjectives, no exclamations.

With bewildering sense of divine power and human littleness, I could only gaze in silence, till the view strained my brain and pained my eyes, compelling me to turn and rest from its oppressive magnitude.

THE VALLEY.

Riding for two hours, down, down, among the sharp rocks and dizzy zigzags, where the five ladies of our party found it difficult to keep in their saddles, and narrowly escaped pitching over their horses' heads, we were in the valley, emerging by the Mariposa trail. The length of the valley or cleft is nine miles; its average width three fourths of a mile. The Merced river whose average width is 69 feet runs from east to west, through this cleft. The falls of Yosemite are upon a north branch of the Merced. Their hight is, Upper, 1,600; Rapids, 434; Lower, 600; 2,634 feet. Width of these falls at upper summit in August, 15 feet."

The author here gives the dimensions of several other very high falls along this valley, also the hight of several gigantic rocks. He mentions Bridal Vail fall 940 feet high; South Fork fall, 740 feet. South Dome rock is 600 feet high; Mount Starr King, 450; Captain, 3,900; Mount Corfix, 3,400.

"The rock mountains are the great feature; indeed *they* are Yosemite. The nine gigantic walls which range in altitude from 3,000 to 6,000 feet, are the most striking examples on the globe of the masonry of nature.

Their dimensions are so vast that they utterly outrun our ordinary standards of comparison. * * When we speak of a giant twenty-five feet high, it conveys some definite impression; but to tell of one 3,000 feet high, would only bewilder and convey no meaning whatever. So, at first, these stupendous walls painfully confuse the mind. By degrees, day after day, the sight of them clears it, until at last one receives a just impression of their solemn immensity. El Capitan is the grandest of all. No tuft of beard shades or fringes its closely shaven face. No tenacious vine ever can fasten its tendrils to climb that smooth, seamless, stupendous wall. There it will stand, grandeur, massiveness, indestructibility, till the heavens shall pass away with a great noise and the elements melt with fervent heat.

THE FALLS.

* * In April and May when melting snows swell the Yosemite stream to a deep torrant the falls are grand; but then the valley is half flooded. In late summer their creek shrinks to a skeleton. * * Yet Yosemite is the loftiest waterfall in the world. Think of a cataract, or cascade, of half a mile with only a single break! It is sixteen times higher than Niagara. Twelve Bunker Hill monuments standing upright, one upon another, would barely reach its summit. Ossa upon Pelion becomes a tame and meaningless comparison.

We did not climb to the Rapids and foot of the Upper fall; that is difficult, hazardous and exhausting. Nor did we go to the extreme summit; that requires a circuitous ride of twenty-five miles out of the valley. * * Much of the water turns to mist before reaching the bottom; yet looking up from under it the volume seems great. 600 feet above, a body of ragged snowy foam with dishevelled tresses, rushes over the brink, and comes singing down in slender columns, swayed to and fro by the wind like a long strand of lace. For 400 feet the descent is unruffled; then, striking a broad inclined rock, like the roof of a house, the water spreads over it a thin, shining, transparent apron, fringed with delicate gauze—and glides swiftly to the bottom. By moonlight the whole looks like a long white ribbon, hanging against the brown wall, with its lower end widening and unravelling."

A Millionaire Private.

In a sketch of the life of Elias Howe jr., the inventor of the sewing machine we find the following incident:

At the moment when Mr. Howe had avowed his determination to enlist, his coachmen had entered the building to witness the proceedings. He was a warm hearted Irishman, named Michael Cahill, past the age of military service as defined by law. Upon hearing his employer's speech, he rushed forward, and climbing upon the platform he cried out: "Put down my name too! I can't bear to have the old man go alone." So down went the name of Michael Cahill, coachman, next to that of Elias Howe. Laughter and cheers mingled in about equal proportion.

For four months after the Seventeenth Connecticut entered the field the Government was so pressed for money that no payments to the troops could be made. One day, a private soldier came quietly to the paymaster's office in Washington, and as there were several officers already there to be attended to, he took his seat in the corner to await his turn. When the officers had been dispersed of, Col. Walker turned to him and said:

"Now, my man, what can I do for you?"

"I have called," said the soldier, "to see about the payment of the Seventeenth Connecticut."

The paymaster, a little irritated, told him bluntly "that a paymaster could do nothing without money, and that, until the government could furnish some, it was useless for soldiers to come bothering *him* about the pay of their regiments."

"I know," said the soldier, "the Government is in straits, and I have called to find out how much money it will take to give my regiment two months' pay, and if you will tell me, I am ready to furnish the amount."

The officer stared with astonishment, and asked the name of the soldier, who was no less than Elias Howe. On referring to his books, Col. Walker found that the sum required was $31,000. Upon receiving the information, the private wrote a draft for the sum, and received in return a memorandum certifying the advance, and promising reimbursement when the Government could furnish the money.

Two or three days after, at Felix Court House, the regiment was paid. When Mr. Howe's name was called, he went up to the paymaster's desk, receiving $28.60 of his own money, and signed the receipt therefor, "Private Elias Howe, Jr., After rendering all the service which a man in his physical condition could render, he reluctantly asked a discharge and returned home.

He used to say to the soldiers:

"I've got to leave you, boys. I'm of no use here; but never mind: when your time is out, come to me at Bridgport I'm building a large sewing machine factory there, and I shall have plenty of work for those who want it."

Many of his comrads took him at his word, and until his death were at work under him in various capacities.

—That bloated bond-holder, Aug. Belmont, chairman of the Democratic National Committee is said to collect regularly more gold interest on bonds than any other man in the United States.

—The Democratic conception of Christianity is rather mixed, we fear. Having voted down the Golden Rule of the Redeemer, the Democratic papers call that *redeeming* the State.

—A correspondent from an interior county says that a drunken Democrat as he dropped into the ballot-box a negative vote against the new constitution, hiccoughed: "You may work at me ten years, and you can't make me equal to a nigger." The crowd around cheered approvingly, and it was generally considered that it would take more than forty years to make him equal to a decent negro.

FREE PEWS.—An Association in England for "Freedom of Worship," has offered a prize for the best "scheme of operations" for bringing church sittings within the reach of all the people. No subject can be more important than this. The man who will invent a method of securing free pews for the masses, or so nearly free as to be accessible by the masses, will be one of the world's benefactors.

—There is a story from California of burglars, who at midnight, climbed up to a chamber window and cautiously opened it. The occupant chanced to be awake, crept softly to the window, and just as the robber's face appeared, presented the smooth muzzles of two revolvers, with the injunction:

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Wayne,	8.10	P. M.	6:39	——	5:20
YPSILANTI,	8:45	12:15	7:00	11:50	5:55
				A.M.	
Ann Arbor,	9:10	12:37	7:25	12:10	6:26
Dexter,	9:40	12:58	7:50	——	6:50
Chelsea,	10:00	——	8:10	12:50	——
Jackson,	11:00	2:00	9:10	1:50	——
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CHICAGO, Arr.	9:00	10.00	6:30	11:00	——

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Chelsea,	3:00	——	——	7:40	5:55
	P.M	P.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Dexter,	3:20	4:13	——	7:57	6.15
Ann Arbor,	3.55	4:35	1:23	8.25	6:45
YPSILANTI,	4:20	4:55	1:43	8:45	7:10
Wayne,	4:50	——	——	9.13	7:43
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At an adjourned term of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Northern District of New York, in the seventh circuit held at the City Hall, in the city of Albany, the 24th day of January, in the year of our Lord 1868.

PRESENT:
The Honorable Nathan K. Hall, *Judge.*

J. H. Shear & J. Packard, *vs.* G. B. Bull & J. M. Rockwell. } *In Equity.*

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that a perpetual injunction be issued in this suit against the defendants, restraining them from further infringements of said Patent, No. 51,406, dated Dec. 5th, 1865, for improvements in cooking stoves, pursuant to and in accordance with the prayer of the Bill of Complaint.

Signed A. A. BOYCE, *Clerk.*

The above suit was instituted for infringement of the Patent securing the manner of fitting the ash pan in the hearth of the American Cooking Stove, and for the combination of the bailed ash pan. We have repeatedly cautioned the public against selling or using stoves with these improvements not manufactured by us. All persons now selling or using stoves with these improvements in violation of the above injunction, without license from us, will be liable to fine and imprisonment.

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